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Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on November 1, 2010 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.40 million head, up 3 percent from both a year ago and October 1, 2010. **Placements** during October totaled 435,000 head, down 6 percent from a year ago and down 15 percent from September 2010 placements of 510,000 head. **Marketings** during October totaled 350,000 head, up 3 percent from October 2009 but down 5 percent from September 2010. **Other disappearance** was 15,000 head, unchanged from a year ago but up 5,000 head from the previous month. The percent of October placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 21 percent; 600-699 pounds, 26 percent; 700-799 pounds, 29 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 24 percent.

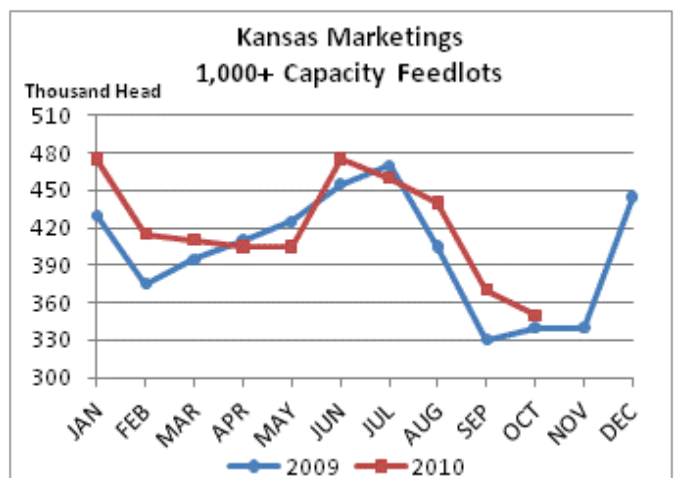
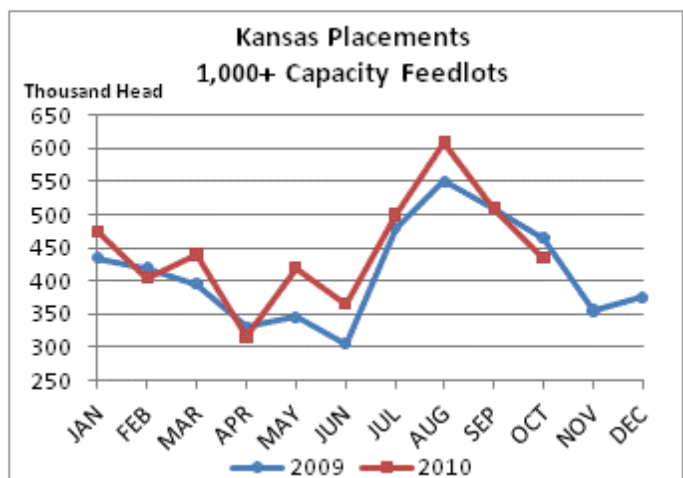
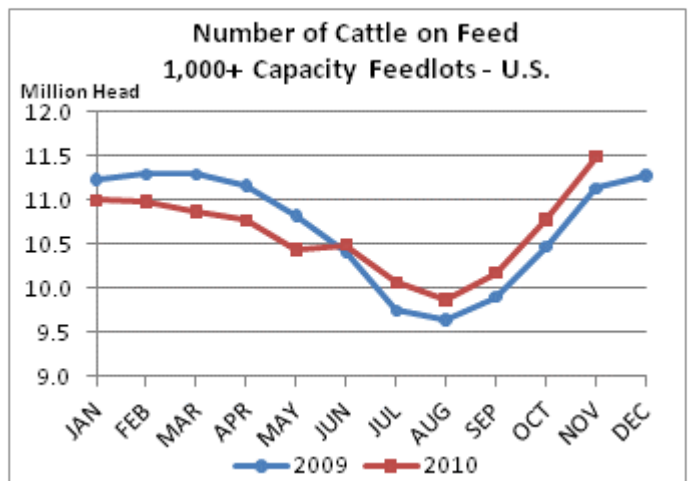
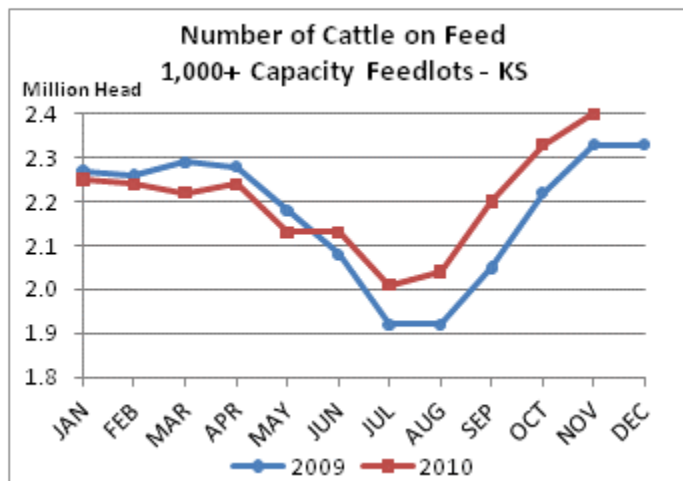
**Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, October and November 2009-2010**

State	Number on Feed ¹				October Placements		October Marketings		Other Disappearance during October ²	
	Oct 1 2010	November 1								
		2009	2010	% of 2009	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Head			Percent	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head	
CO	1,000	1,040	1,090	105	245	270	160	170	5	10
IA	570	540	610	113	123	142	100	100	3	2
KS.....	2,330	2,330	2,400	103	465	435	340	350	15	15
NE.....	2,220	2,400	2,420	101	620	580	380	370	10	10
OK	370	375	385	103	83	80	60	63	3	2
SD.....	205	205	230	112	65	70	54	44	1	1
TX.....	2,640	2,730	2,820	103	610	640	465	445	15	15
U.S.....	10,779	11,134	11,487	103	2,388	2,504	1,755	1,734	59	62

¹ Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. ² Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots.

U.S. Cattle on Feed

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 11.5 million head on November 1, 2010. The inventory was 3 percent above November 1, 2009. **Placements** in feedlots during October totaled 2.50 million, 1 percent above 2009. Net placements were 2.44 million head. During October, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 725,000, 600-699 pounds were 640,000, 700-799 pounds were 514,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 625,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during October totaled 1.73 million, 1 percent below 2009. This is the second lowest fed cattle marketings for the month of October since the series began in 1996. **Other disappearance** totaled 62,000 during October, 5 percent above 2009





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**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, October 2009-2010**

State	Placed in October									
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head	
CO	50	55	45	55	60	60	90	100	245	270
KS	85	90	120	115	150	125	110	105	465	435
NE	160	170	175	160	95	90	190	160	620	580
TX	150	220	180	190	180	145	100	85	610	640
Other States	170	190	125	120	94	94	145	175	534	579
U.S.	615	725	645	640	579	514	635	625	2,474	2,504

Kansas Milk Production Up 3.9 Percent and U.S. Up 3.3 Percent

The October 2010 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 212 million pounds, up 3.9 percent from the September 2010 production of 204 million pounds, and up 8.2 percent from October 2009. The **production per cow** averaged 1,750 pounds, up 65 pounds from September 2010 but the same as October 2009. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 121,000 head, unchanged from September 2010 but up 9,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during October totaled 14.8 billion pounds, up 3.3 percent from October 2009. September revised production at 14.5 billion pounds, was up 3.7 percent from September 2009. The September revision represented an increase of 6 million pounds or less than 0.1 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,767 pounds for October, 47 pounds above October 2009. **The number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.37 million head, 52,000 head more than October 2009, but unchanged from September 2010.

An audio summary of this report will be available at:
http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Kansas/Publications/Livestock/Lvstk/index.asp

For the latest beef and other livestock charts provided by Dr. Glynn Tonsor, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service, please go to www.agmanager.info/livestock/marketing/graphs. Links to the latest newsletter and radio comments can also be found from this website.

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